13th August 1929]

Appendix I.

[Vide answer to question No. 371 asked by Mr. G. Harisarvottama Rao at the meeting of the Legislative Council held on the 13th August 1929, page 703 supra].

Copy of telegram from M.R.Ry. Ramakrishna Reddi Garu, Vakil, Kurnool, to the Registrar of Co-operative Societies, dated 29th January 1927.

"Enthusiasm cooling. Pray immediate starting Mortgage Bank, Kurnool."

Appendix II.

[Vide answer to question No. 385 asked by Mr. B. Ramachandra Reddi at the meeting of the Legislative Council held on the 13th August 1929, page 713 supra.]

Letter from the Surgeon-General, Madras, R. No. 1716, General, dated the 6th August 1929.

Reference :—Government Memorandum No. 27229/1-D-1, P.H., referring for remarks Legislative Council question regarding the suicide of a patient in the Headquarters Hospital, Nellore.

A reference was made to the Superintendent, Headquarters Hospital, Nellore, and as a result of the reply received from him, answers to the several clauses of the Legislative Council question are furnished below seriatim :—

(*a*) It is a fact as seen from the hospital records that a patient by name Chengal Reddi suffering from cancer penis with stricture of the Urethra committed suicide in the small hours of the morning on the 17th September 1928. He was found dead hanging at 5 a.m. on the date by the in-patient sub-assistant surgeon N. V. Subrahmanyam.

(*b*) The present Superintendent of the hospital has no personal knowledge of the incident as he was not in charge of the Headquarters Hospital, Nellore, then, nor is there any report on record in the hospital to indicate the circumstances under which the patient committed suicide. But on enquiry, the hospital servants state that after operation the man was dejected and did himself to death 10 days thereafter. Nobody allowed him to commit suicide nor could the responsibility be fixed on anybody.

(*c*) A report was made to the Police and a post-mortem examination was held, the cause of death being asphyxia from hanging.

No further action seems to have been taken by the Superintendent in the matter.